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The Colorado Department of Transportation, via the I-70 Mountain Corridor Context Sensitive Solution (CSS) Project, would like to solicit interest for involvement in a visioning session for the I-70 Mountain Corridor focused on operational improvements and traffic mobility at and in the proximity of the Twin Tunnels at mile marker 242. This week long event is scheduled for February 21st through February 26th.

The I-70 Mountain Corridor CSS Team has identified the need for technical experts in the following areas: geotechnical engineering focused on tunnels, roadway alignment design, transit alignment design, constructability, and traffic operations. The most valuable experts will be those who have familiarity with the I-70 mountain corridor or similar.

All <u>pre-qualified</u> consultants and contractors are invited to submit resumes for experts from your company for consideration as a participant in this visioning session. Your experts <u>must</u> be available in Denver from 9:00 a.m. on Monday, February 21, 2011 through noon on Friday, February 26, 2011. Please be sure to include examples of national and local experience in the submitted resumes.

Please email any submittals to the CSS Team at info@i70css.com by the close of business on Friday, February 4, 2011.

From the resumes which are received, CDOT will select experts who best represent the needs of the visioning session, as well as provide for a technically diversified team. Selected experts will be notified by CDOT on February 7, 2011. Further instructions for session preparations will be included at that time.

CDOT will compensate all selected participants in the form of a \$1,000.00 stipend per participant. This stipend will be full compensation for all time and expenses incurred by each participant to participate. No contract will be executed with any participant and/or their firm/contractor for their participation. Additionally, selection for participating in this visioning session does not guarantee any future involvement and/or contracts with CDOT for any future projects along this corridor.

This visioning session is an innovative approach to solve complex issues on the I-70 corridor, and we are excited to share this opportunity with our consultant and contractor industries.

For further information please contact either CDOT Region One RTD, Tony DeVito, at 303-365-7001 or the I-70 Mountain Corridor CSS Project Manager, Peter Kozinski, at 970-471-3540.